

ARclad® IS-8901

Double-Coated Film Bonding Tape



PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

ARclad® IS-8901 is a thick double-coated acrylic adhesive on a black polyester film, ideal for rough surfaces where gap filling is required.

FEATURES

- Heavy adhesive mass
- High tack acrylic pressure-sensitive adhesive
- Black polyester carrier film
- Selfwound paper release liner
- Good adhesion to low energy surfaces

BENEFITS

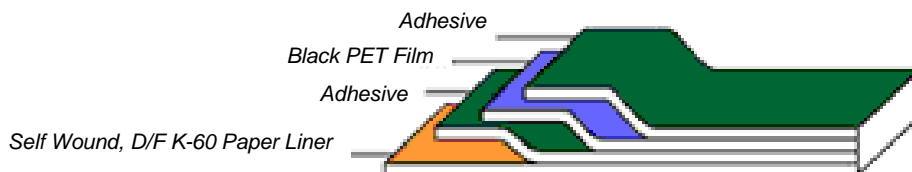
- Excellent bond strength to foams, rubbers, most plastics, metals and low surface energy substrates
- Conformable and gap filling
- Easy to die cut and apply

PRODUCT APPLICATIONS

Suggested nameplate, mobile phone lens, display and other assembly applications where immediate adhesion on a great variety of surfaces is required. Users should test the product to ensure it meets the specific needs of their application(s). Adhesives Research can tailor the product to meet the needs of specific applications as requested by customers.

PRODUCT PROFILE AND DIAGRAM

Adhesive	Carrier	Adhesive	D/F K-60 Paper Liner
3.5 mil (89 um)	1 mil (25 um) Black PET	3.5 mil (89 um)	3.2 mil (81 um)



Reference Test Methods:
PSTC-133, ASTM D-1000

ADHESIVE PROPERTIES

180° Peel Adhesion (12" min.)
5 min. Dwell
23 hr. Dwell

Test Methods

PSTC-101, ASTM D-3330, ART #1005
PSTC-101, ASTM D-3330, ART #1024

Typical Values

SS – 50 oz./in.
SS – 70 oz./in.

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STATIC SHEAR

<u>Temperature</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Load</u>	<u>Minutes to Failure</u>
72°F	1/2" x 1/2"	500 g.	60

Reference Test Methods:
PSTC-107, ART #1011

STORAGE AND SHELF LIFE

One year from date of manufacturing when stored at 70°F (21°C), 50% R.H.

SERVICE TEMPERATURE RANGES

Minimum Application Temperature: 50°F (10°C)
Maximum Operating Temperature: 250°F (121°C)

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APPLICATION AND STORAGE OF PRESSURE-SENSITIVE ADHESIVE TAPES

Pressure-sensitive adhesive tapes function as a mechanical product; however, the adhesive itself is a chemical composition that can be sensitive to environmental conditions. A purchaser of pressure-sensitive adhesive products should be aware of the shelf life of each product and not purchase more than it can use before the expiration date. Shipping and storage conditions affect shelf life. The optimum storage temperature is 70°F (21°C). Cool, dry storage is recommended.

For best results...

- 1) The surfaces you wish to bond should be clean and free of oil, moisture and dust. If the surface temperature is below 40°F, it may be difficult to achieve a proper bond.
- 2) Do not use a pressure-sensitive adhesive product where it will be exposed to temperatures lower or higher than those designated for each product. Heat can destroy the effectiveness of the bond and extreme cold can cause the adhesive to harden and not adhere properly.
- 3) When the tape is applied, use firm hand or lamination pressure to achieve contact between the adhesive and the surface to which it is applied. Hand rollers or nip rollers may be needed for certain products or applications.

Consult your Adhesives Research sales representative if you need additional information.

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